

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF NATCHITOCHES

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the Parish of Natchitoches, State of Louisiana, personally came and appeared:

T. Taylor Townsend, who after being first duly sworn did depose and declare that:

Affiant and/or his law firm, in their capacity as attorneys at law, were duly retained by John Bernard in an action against the State of Louisiana, Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, relative to his employment with same. Affiant and/or his law firm have been retained on an hourly basis.

Affiant further deposed that this sworn statement is filed with the Louisiana Board of Ethics for State Elected Officials and was mailed to them, postage prepaid, at 7434 Perkins Road, Suite B, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4379, on this 4th day of April, 2005.


T. Taylor Townsend

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this 4th day of April, 2005.


NOTARY PUBLIC

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